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Grant application No. 1037

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To:

The committee comprising Drs. Gardner, Jacobson, Lynch and Sommers

Subject:

Lars Friberg, M.D., The Karolinska Institute, Stockholm New application No. 1037 "Causes of Death in Relation to Smoking Habits and Other Behavorial and Environmental Factors. A study on the Swedish Twin Registry".

History

Dr. Friberg has been a grantee of CTR since November 1972, with an initial award of \$3,000 for exploratory studies on the twin registry. Grant No. 892 (in the amount of \$40,095 for the two year period January 1, 1973 to December 31, 1974) was awarded for the study entitled "Epidemiological Studies on the Swedish Twin Registry". A continuation grant (No. 892A) was awarded by the SAB in March 1975 (in the amount of \$43,923 for the two year period July 1, 1975 through June 30, 1977) to support "Epidemiological Studies on the New Swedish Twin Registry".

The present new application (No. 1037) is a request to continue mortality follow-up studies previously supported by the American Medical Association Education and Research Foundation, at a level of \$133,000 for a five year period ending January 31, 1976.

Request

Application No. 1037 requests \$32,919 for the first year of a three year project, to begin February 1, 1976.

Documents submitted (attached)

- 1. Application dated June 17, 1975 (11 pages including enclosures 2 and 3).
- 2. One reprint (Enclosure 1).
- 3. Updated reports (Enclosures 4 and 5).

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